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SUBJECT: Briefing on Security Research Staff, Office of Security, 11 October 1968, 1520 Hours

1. Present were Messrs. Bannerman, [REDACTED]

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2. The Security Research Staff is composed of three branches:

- a. Liaison and Explortation Branch - responsible for investigating adverse Agency publicity.
- b. Special Activities Branch - works with SI elements of the Intelligence Community and provides storage for SI material received from outside the Agency.
- c. Foreign Intelligence Operational Branch - concerned with the opposition's attempts to penetrate the Agency.

3. The Foreign Intelligence Branch recently has been primarily concerned with processing material and information obtained [REDACTED]

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4. Other projects which [REDACTED] discussed were:

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- a. Monitoring of incoming traffic to stop the attempts of identifying Agency personnel by their automobile license tags;
- b. Nader's, "Who's Who in CIA";
- c. "Ramparts" article on CIA'
- d. Publishing "Information Digest" -- this has been discontinued recently by the staff due to heavy work loads; and
- e. Continuing review of polygraph results, which have any substantive information, and all security disapprovals containing significant data.

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5. Two programs were discussed which are aimed at acquiring significant information on certain staff employees and contract and non-Agency employees.

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6. [] had planned to brief Mr. Bannerman privately on some of his more sensitive projects, but this section of the briefing was postponed to a later date, per the latter's request.

7. The briefing was concluded at 1600 hours.



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